

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 692

By Fowler

A RESOLUTION to recognize the Culleoka Future Farmers of America Alumni for receiving a National Outstanding Affiliate Award in the Gold Division from the National FFA Alumni Association.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those organizations that, through their extraordinary efforts, have improved the quality of life for the citizens of this state; and

WHEREAS, the Culleoka FFA Alumni is one such organization that has brought honor to this state through its receipt of a National Outstanding Affiliate Award in the Gold Division from the National FFA Alumni Association for outstanding accomplishment in service and support to agricultural education and the FFA; and

WHEREAS, this prestigious award acknowledges the Culleoka Alumni's status as one of the six outstanding FFA alumni organizations in the nation; and

WHEREAS, the Future Farmers of America is an estimable and noble institution that is an important component of today's agricultural community; farmers are some of the most vital members of our society, and the FFA is an innovator in providing young people with knowledge and skills that allow the agricultural community to attain the greatest possible success; and

WHEREAS, the Culleoka FFA Chapter is the epitome of the ideal local chapter of this agricultural education society, and it has succeeded in its endeavors in large part due to the exceptional support of its alumni association; and

WHEREAS, the Culleoka FFA Alumni learned well the lessons embodied in the FFA motto of "Learning to Do; Doing to Learn; Earning to Live; Living to Serve," internalizing the knowledge, pride, self-esteem, and leadership that allow them to make significant contributions to Tennessee and this nation; and

WHEREAS, the Future Farmers of America provides the highest level of public service to all Tennesseans, especially its agricultural communities, and plays a vital role in sustaining and improving the high quality of life that is enjoyed by the people of this great state, and the Culleoka FFA Alumni are some of the most outstanding contributors to Tennessee's agricultural community; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we commend the members of the Culleoka Future Farmers of America Alumni for their organization's honorable and astute service to their local FFA Chapter and the agricultural community of Tennessee, congratulate them on being recognized with a National Outstanding Affiliate Award in the Gold Division from the National FFA Alumni Association, and wish them every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.